



PATENT  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Hideki KOBAYASHI ) Confirmation No.: 6306  
Application No.: 10/701,080 ) Group Art Unit: 2627  
Filed: November 5, 2003 ) Examiner: Gautam Patel  
For: INFORMATION RECORDING/REPRODUCING )  
APPARATUS AND INFORMATION )  
REPRODUCING METHOD (As Amended) )

**USPTO Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment  
Randolph Building  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, Virginia 22314**

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR**  
**RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 16, 2007, the period for response to which has been extended one month through June 18, 2007 (i.e., the next business day after June 16, 2007) by the concurrently filed request for a one-month extension of time and corresponding fee payment, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and the comments hereinafter.

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